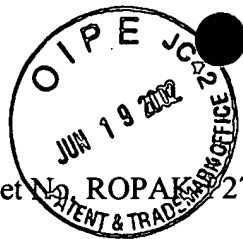


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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's action of December 13, 2001, please amend  
the above-identified application as follows:

In the Specification:

Please amend the specification as follows:

The paragraph beginning on page 8, line 5, has been amended as follows:

FIG. 3 illustrates, among other things, the preferred motion to engage the lid 30 with the container 10. By pushing in the direction indicated by arrow A, the skirt or flange 46 pivots outwardly and then back inwardly (as indicated by arrow B), as the lid "snaps" onto the container as the beads 48 and 50 pass over each other. For applications

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